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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application for United States Letters Patent, kindly enter the following preliminary amendment.

In the Specification

Page 3, 2nd full paragraph, has been amended as follows:

Still further yet, such systems doe not allow the care provider to easily customize the diagnosis and procedure code screens with those codes most frequently used in the care provider's particular practice or field of specialty; such customization would require additional programming with great cost in terms of time and money. Nor do the prior art systems permit the care provider to search on-line for a particular code.

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